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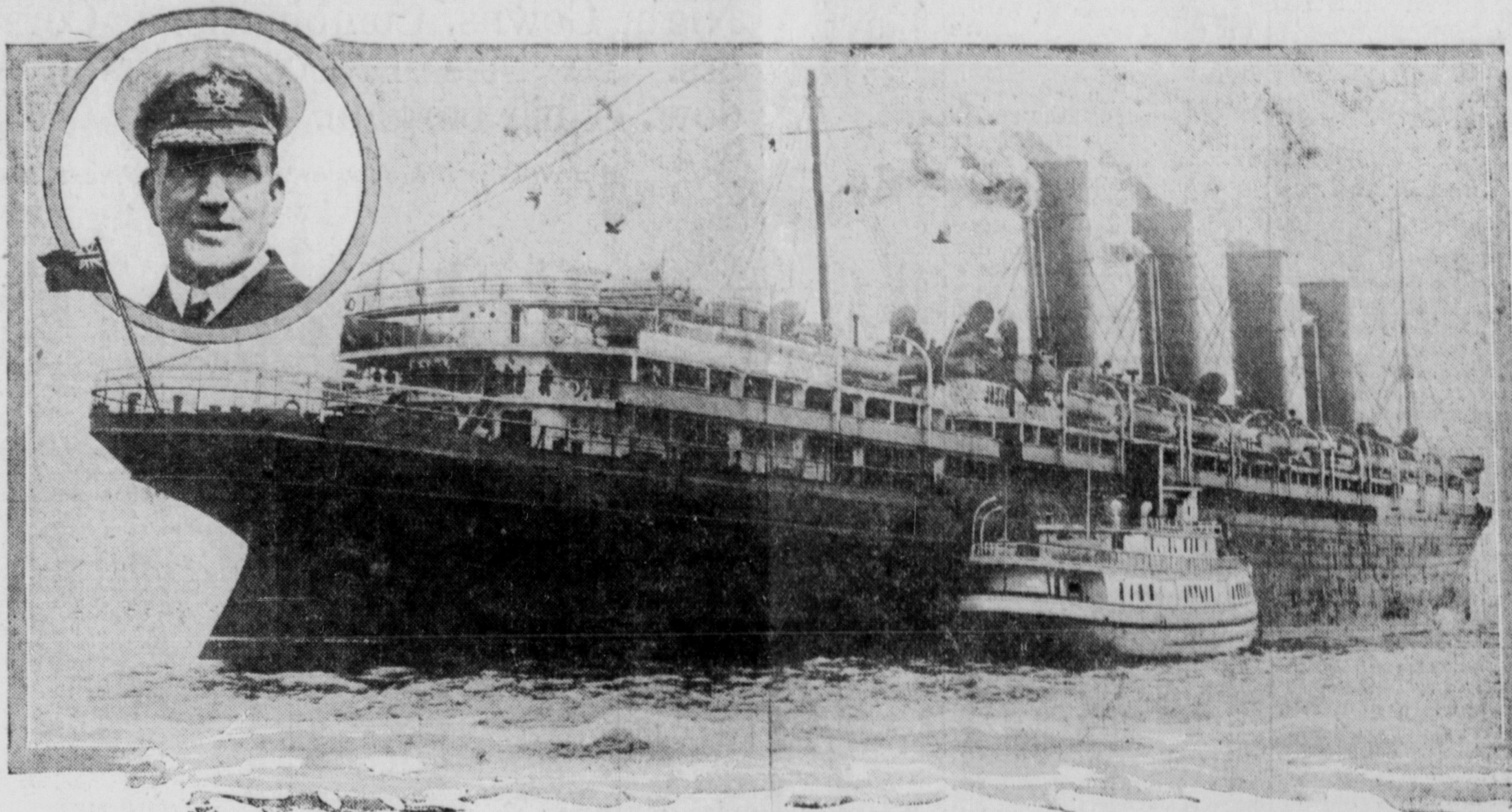
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Official Report of Torpedoing Is Issued at Berlin.

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South St. Paul Live Stock.

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Minneapolis Grain.

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St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, May 8.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$16.50; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00@15.75; No. 1 clover mixed, \$12.50@13.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$13.00@13.75; choice upland, \$17.50; No. 1 upland, \$16.00@16.75; No. 1 midland, \$10.00@13.00; No. 1 alfalfa, \$15.00@16.25.

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"What does her husband do when she asks him to foot her bills?" "Kicks about it."—Baltimore American.

The Simple Life.

Many persons trying to live the simple life find a lot of fault with the bill of fare.—Judge.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, who names are hereto subscribed, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree to be and become a corporation under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to that end and for that purpose, we do hereby agree to, adopt and sign the following Certificate of Incorporation:

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The name of this corporation shall be, "Western Iron Company," and the principal place of transacting the business of the corporation shall be at Deerwood, in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.

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The general nature of the business of the corporation shall be to take, lease, purchase, sell, hold, exchange, use, own, mortgage and convey and otherwise dispose of, and deal in lands, tenements and hereditaments, and all kinds of interests in real estate; to acquire, hold, lease, encumber, sell and convey mines and mining property and mining rights and privileges of every kind and nature; and to buy, acquire, sell, deal and work in mineral and other lands.

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The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 10th day of May A. D. 1915 and the period of its duration shall be thirty (30) years.

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The names and places of residence of the incorporators of this corporation are as follows: Frank E. Oberg, residing in Minneapolis, in the County of Hennepin and State of Minnesota, and Gust A. Oberg and Gust W. Franson, residing in Deerwood, in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.

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Getting the Right Number.  
She had tried in vain to get her telephone number. "Hello, Central," she inquired sweetly, "can you suggest the wrong number to ask for in order to get 6380 Franklin?"—Ladies' Home Journal.  
**Infection in the Air**  
Medical authorities agree that colds are infectious. In some cities children with colds are barred from schools. Spring's changing whether brings many colds. The quickest and safe way to stop colds, coughs and croup is to give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

**Muslin Underwear Sale**  
**Only 59 Cents**  
Night Gowns, Combinations, Corset Covers. See these Pretty Things in our window. A big bargain.  
Watch the Windows at "Murphy's Smart Shop"

**GERMANY EXPLAINS LUSITANIA SINKING**  
Official Report of Torpedoing Is Issued at Berlin.  
Berlin, May 10.—The following official communication was issued:  
"The Cunard liner Lusitania was Friday torpedoed by a German submarine and sank.  
"The Lusitania was naturally armed with guns, as were recently most of the English mercantile steamers. Moreover, as is well known here, she had large quantities of war material in her cargo.  
"Her owners, therefore, knew to what danger the passengers were exposed. They alone bear all the responsibility for what has happened.  
"Germany, on her part, left nothing undone to repeatedly and strongly warn them. The imperial ambassador in Washington even went so far as to make a public warning so as to draw attention to this danger. The English press sneered then at this warning and relied on the protection of the British fleet to safeguard Atlantic traffic."  
**GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES**  
Duluth Wheat and Flax.  
Duluth, May 8.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.56½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.55½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.48½@1.51½. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.02½.  
St. Paul Grain.  
St. Paul, May 8.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.52@1.56½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.47½@1.53½; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.54@1.56; corn, 70¢@71¢; oats, 51½¢@52¢; barley, 68¢@74¢; rye, \$1.14@1.15; flax, \$2.00½.  
Chicago Live Stock.  
Chicago, May 8.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.50@8.90; cows and heifers, \$3.00@8.60; calves, \$6.50@9.25. Hogs—Light, \$7.20@7.70; mixed, \$7.10@7.60; heavy, \$6.80@7.45; rough, \$6.80@6.90; pigs, \$5.25@6.80. Sheep—Native, \$7.50@8.50.  
South St. Paul Live Stock.  
South St. Paul, May 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; steers, \$4.75@8.00; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$3.75@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,750; range, \$7.10@7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; lambs, \$5.00@9.50; wethers, \$6.50@7.75; ewes, \$6.50@7.50.  
Minneapolis Grain.  
Minneapolis, May 8.—Wheat—May, \$1.50; July, \$1.45½; Sept., \$1.17½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.57; No. 1 Northern, \$1.53½@1.56½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.47½@1.53½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.43½@1.51; No. 3 yellow corn, 70½¢@71¢; No. 3 white oats, 51½¢@51¾¢; flax, \$2.00½.  
Chicago Grain and Provisions.  
Chicago, May 8.—Wheat—May, \$1.53½; July, \$1.26½; Sept., \$1.19½. Corn—May, 74½¢; July, 76½¢; Sept., 77½¢. Oats—May, 53¢; July, 52½¢; Sept., 45¢. Pork—May, \$17.92½; July, \$18.00; Sept., \$18.42½. Butter—Creameries, 28c. Eggs—17@18½¢. Poultry—Fowls, 15½¢.  
St. Paul Hay.  
St. Paul, May 8.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$16.50; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00@15.75; No. 1 clover mixed, \$12.50@13.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$13.00@13.75; choice upland, \$17.50; No. 1 upland, \$16.00@16.75; No. 1 midland, \$10.00@13.00; No. 1 alfalfa, \$15.00@16.25.  
Naturally.  
"What does her husband do when she asks him to foot her bills?" "Kicks about it"—Baltimore American.  
The Simple Life.  
Many persons trying to live the simple life find a lot of fault with the bill of fare.—Judge.

**RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND**  
American Association.  
Minneapolis 7, St. Paul 5.  
Kansas City 5, Milwaukee 4.  
Columbus 10, Cleveland 9.  
Louisville 7, Indianapolis 3.  
National League.  
Chicago 2, St. Louis 1.  
Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 3.  
American League.  
Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 0.  
Detroit 1, Washington 0.  
Chicago 6, St. Louis 1.  
Federal League.  
Newark 4, Chicago 3.  
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SAYS IDEA IS TO INVOLVE AMERICA.  
London, May 10.—"I think the Lusitania has been torpedoed deliberately for the purpose of making the United States declare war," said Lord Charles Beresford. "I foretold this whole present situation in February and gave my reasons for thinking Germany meant to bring America into the war."  
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**KILLS TWO AND HIMSELF**  
No Motive Apparent for Crime of North Dakota Farmer.  
Devils Lake, N. D., May 10.—Alex Herman, thirty years old, strangled his wife and Roy Hinley, aged eleven to death and then hanged himself, leaving his seven-months-old son, the only living person, on his farm, three and a half miles from Devils Lake. State Senator Frank Hyland of Devils Lake, owner of the land, discovered the crime. The infant was sitting on the floor beside the woman's body, crying. The motive for the crime is not known.

**Murphy's**  
THE STORE OF QUALITY  
NEW SKIRTS \$3.48

**CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF WESTERN IRON COMPANY.**  
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That, we, the undersigned, whose names are hereto subscribed, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree to be and become a corporation under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 65 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905, and the several amendments thereof and supplemental thereto, and to that end and for that purpose, we do hereby agree to, adopt and sign the following Certificate of Incorporation:  
ARTICLE I.  
The name of this corporation shall be, "Western Iron Company," and the principal place of transacting the business of the corporation shall be at Deerwood, in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.  
ARTICLE II.  
The general nature of the business of the corporation shall be to take, lease, purchase, sell, hold, exchange, use, own, mortgage and convey and otherwise dispose of, and deal in lands, tenements and hereditaments, and all kinds of, and interests in real estate; to acquire, hold, lease, encumber, sell and convey mines and mining property and mining rights and privileges of every kind and description; and to buy, acquire, sell, deal and work in mineral and other lands.  
ARTICLE III.  
The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 10th day of May A. D. 1915 and the period of its duration shall be thirty (30) years.  
ARTICLE IV.  
The names and places of residence of the incorporators of this corporation are as follows: Frank E. Oberg, residing in Minneapolis, in the County of Hennepin and State of Minnesota, and Gust A. Oberg and Gust W. Franson, residing in Deerwood, in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.  
ARTICLE V.  
The government of the corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of Directors, who shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the corporation, and who shall be stockholders of the corporation. The stockholders may, at any regular or special meeting, fix the number of directors of the corporation, but such number shall never be less than three (3) nor more than seven (7).  
The members of the Board of Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the corporation, and the following shall constitute the Board of Directors of the corporation: Frank E. Oberg, Gust W. Franson and Gust A. Oberg.  
The officers of the corporation shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The officers of the corporation shall be elected by the Board of Directors, at a meeting of the Board of Directors to be held annually immediately after the annual meeting of the stockholders of the corporation, and their term of office shall be for one year or until their successors are elected and qualified. Any officers except those of President and Vice-President may be held by one person. Until the first meeting of the Board of Directors the following shall constitute the Board of Directors of the corporation: Frank E. Oberg, Gust W. Franson and Gust A. Oberg.  
The meeting of the stockholders of the corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the first Thursday in February in each year, beginning with the year 1916.  
ARTICLE VI.  
The capital stock of this corporation shall be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000), consisting of Ten Thousand (10,000) shares of the par value of Ten Dollars (\$10) each, which shall be paid in, in money or property or both, at such times and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order.  
ARTICLE VII.  
The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000). In Witness Whereof, we, the undersigned, have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1915.  
FRANK E. OBERG (Seal)  
GUST W. FRANSON (Seal)  
GUST A. OBERG (Seal)  
Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of  
H. E. PETERSON,  
O. E. NELSON.  
State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.  
On this 22nd day of April A. D. 1915, before me a notary public duly sworn and for said County and State, personally appeared Frank E. Oberg, Gust W. Franson and Gust A. Oberg, to me known to be the persons who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation, and they acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.  
H. E. PETERSON,  
Notary Public Crow Wing County, (Seal) Minnesota.  
My commission expires Nov. 2, 1918.  
State of Minnesota, Department of State.  
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record this 8th day of May A. D. 1915 at 9 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book A-4 of Incorporations on page 27.  
JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,  
Secretary of State.  
No. 55561  
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A. G. TROMMALD,  
Register of Deeds.

**WANTS**  
Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen words.  
**HELP WANTED.**  
DINING Room girl wanted at West's 277tf  
GOOD reliable girl wanted at 601 Sixth street south. 288tf  
WANTED—Man and wife for farm work. Apply to F. S. Parker. 288tf  
WANTED—Good girl for general housework, 1011 Kingwood St. 285tf  
WANTED—Girl for general housework, 303 North Fourth Street. 282tf  
WANTED—Man for gardener and chore work. Apply to F. S. Parker. 288tf  
WANTED—Good, experienced girl waiter. Brainerd Cafe, 624 Front Street. 275tf  
WANTED—At once good girl for general housework. Apply to 504 3rd street North. Phone 328.  
WANTED—Good girl for general housework, no washing if not desired. Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone, 504 North 4th street. 288tf  
**FOR RENT.**  
FOR RENT—Furnished room in the Lagerquist block. 287142p  
FOR RENT—Four room flat in Lagerquist block, enquire on the premises. 254tf  
FOR RENT—Steam heated furnished flats for light housekeeping, Pearce block. 219tf  
FURNISHED ROOMS—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs. Also furnished rooms for rent at 307 Seventh street So. Phone 135-R. 285tf  
**FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE OR RENT—Hotel Antlers. In good condition. 280tf  
FOR SALE—5 room house, 2 lots on 8 6th St. Brick cellar, water and lights, \$1000. Part terms. Nettleton. 28713  
FOR SALE—Lots 4 and 16 in Lakewood Park, on Clark Lake. Inquire of Roy Larson, telephone 243-L, Brainerd, Minn. 28416  
FOR SALE—Fine China closet, sideboard, dining room table, book cases, etc., almost good as new. Inquire at 324 4th street North. 284tf  
\$2250.00—New six room cottage, South Side, three lots, paved street, fine location and a splendid bargain. Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block. 28514  
\$1850.00—Bluff avenue property for sale, six room house, three nice lots, large Maple trees. Modern except heat. Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 28514  
**MISCELLANEOUS**  
BOARD and Room at \$10 Front St. 270tf  
FOR SERVICE—Thoroughbred Jersey bull. Call at 1022 Seventh street. South. J. M. Hayes. 243tf  
FOUND—A lodge pin. Owner can recover at this office by identifying property and paying cost of ad. 28712  
EXCHANGE—Truck, motorcycle and cash, for modern, five passenger auto. Box 24, Brainerd, Minnesota. 279-1mo  
Our "Jitney" Offer—This and 5s  
DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup. Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

**SEVER RELATIONS WITH GERMANY**  
(By United Press)  
Austin, Texas, May 10.—A resolution has been introduced in the Texas legislature to sever diplomatic relations with Germany.  
**Time Limit Expired**  
(By United Press)  
Rome, May 10th.—It is reported that Italy's time limit to Austria expired at midnight. If Austria does not concede everything asked negotiations will be broken. Former lukewarm newspapers are clamoring for war following the Lusitania incident.  
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## WOMAN'S REALM

### SIXTH DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING

Minnesota Federation of Womens Clubs will Hold Annual Meeting at Little Falls

ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

District is One of the Largest in the State, Musical Art Club is the Hostess

The Sixth district of the Minnesota Federation of Women's club will hold its annual meeting at Little Falls, Wednesday and Thursday, Mrs. L. D. Brown of Little Falls is president of the district. The Musical Art club will be hostess. There are 500 women in the clubs.

The district is one of the largest in the state. It includes 20 clubs, representing Aitkin, Akeley, Bemidji, Bertha, Brainerd, Crosby, Cass Lake, Deerwood, Little Falls, Long Prairie, Park Rapids, Paynesville, Pine River, St. Cloud, Sauk Center, Sauk Rapids Staples, Wadena.

The program for the meeting will be as follows:

**Wednesday**  
High school gymnasium—  
3 p. m.—Invocation, Mrs. Dora Corbin, Little Falls.  
Address of Welcome—Mrs. R. D. Musser, Little Falls, Minn.  
Response—Mrs. L. A. Mathews, Wadena, Minn.  
Informal tea.  
Auto ride.

**Wednesday Evening**  
High school auditorium—  
8 p. m.—Piano solo—Selected  
Mrs. Lyn Whitsan, Sauk Center.  
Paper—"The Call of the Twentieth Century," Mrs. R. L. Cochrane, Little Falls.  
Vocal duet—Selected  
Miss Laura Brannen, Mrs. Chas. Jensen, Little Falls.  
Address—"Greater Efficiency," Mrs. C. L. Atwood, St. Cloud.  
Group of Songs—Selected  
Miss Maude Gault Smalley  
Informal reception in the gymnasium.

**Thursday Morning**  
High school gymnasium—  
9 A. M.—Executive board meeting.  
9:30 A. M.—Council meeting.  
10:00 A. M.—Report of officers.  
10:30 A. M.—Report of clubs.  
11:30 A. M.—"The Library in Community Life," Miss Sadie Fuller, Little Falls.

**Thursday Afternoon**  
High school gymnasium—  
2:30 P. M.—Opening song, "America," accompanist Miss Noella Duolos.  
Song—"Lullaby"-----  
Blanche Norman Nelson  
Carol Schallern  
Accompanist, Miss Helen Dunphy  
Address—"Federation and Endowment Fund," Mrs. E. J. Lewis, Sauk Center.  
Group of Songs-----Selected  
Miss Laura Brannen, Little Falls  
Election of officers.

**Thursday Evening**  
High School Auditorium—  
8:00 P. M.—Group of Songs—  
(a) "The Little Grey Blue Dove"-----  
Louis V. Soar  
(b) "Roses After Rain"-----  
Liza Schneemann  
(c) "Jean"-----Charles G. Sprass  
(d) "A Song of Joy"-----Woodman  
Miss Elaine Ruth, Little Falls  
Accompanist, Miss Elvira Ruth  
Paper—"The Social, Moral and Spiritual Uplift of the Woman's Club," Mrs. A. J. Tschumperlin, St. Cloud.  
Piano solo—"Hark, Hark, the Lark"-----  
Schubert-Liszt  
Miss Mildred Skauge, Brainerd  
Group of Songs-----Selected  
Mrs. Charles Jensen, Little Falls  
Address—"Woman's Suffrage," Mrs. Wilbur Cobb, Brainerd.  
Vocal duet-----Selected  
Laura Brannen, Mrs. Chas. Jensen  
Officers of the Sixth district—  
President—Mrs. L. D. Brown, Little Falls.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. L. A. Mathews, Wadena.  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Alvah Eastman, St. Cloud.  
Treasurer—Mrs. C. M. Patek, Brainerd.

**Dancing Party**  
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will give a dancing party Wednesday evening, May 12, at 8:30 o'clock at their hall.

**Gustavus Adolphus Society**  
The Gustavus Adolphus society of the Swedish Lutheran church meets Thursday evening at the home of Miss Alice Anderson, Pine street Southeast.

### URGED TO ATTEND

Mrs. B. J. Broady Receives Letter From Mrs. L. D. Brown Regarding Ladies Convention

Mrs. B. J. Broady has received a letter from Mrs. L. D. Brown urging the members of the Brainerd Musical club to be present in large numbers. Room and breakfast will be provided for all visitors, and those planning to go are asked to notify Mrs. W. C. Cobb, or Mrs. A. H. Vernon of Little Falls. "Probably there will be many who find it convenient to go for just one day. Mrs. W. C. Cobb, Mrs. Henry I. Cohen and Mrs. Bruce J. Broady will act as delegates from the Brainerd club.

Miss Mildred Skauge will give a piano number, "Hark, Hark, the Lark," by Schubert-Liszt, and Mrs. Cobb a paper on "Woman's Suffrage" on Thursday evening, as the Brainerd contributions to a very interesting program.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

Of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran Church will Meet Monday Night, 8 O'clock

The Young Peoples society of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Anna Saltee will entertain. The following program will be rendered:

Vocal solo-----Will Anderson  
Recitation-----Mrs. Ed. Clark  
Recitation-----Miss Mary Hughes  
Vocal solo-----Miss Anna Erickson  
Piano duet-----Misses Lind and Opsahl  
Vocal solo-----Miss Anna Michaelson  
Recitation-----Mrs. A. P. Sorenson  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Kendall, of Little Falls, was a Brainerd visitor Sunday.

Miss Ida Highfield, of Deerwood, went to St. Peter Saturday afternoon.

Miss Selma C. Johnson, of St. Cloud, visited friends in the city Saturday.

Miss Clara Porter and Miss Elizabeth Koefing went to Crow Wing Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgerton and maid, of Chicago, arrived in the city Saturday and will spend the summer at Twin Oaks farm.

Miss Mary Bishop returned to Valley City, N. D., this noon to resume her studies in the normal school there.

### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The Camel Orchestra Will Feature American Composers at its First Concert in May 25

The Camel symphony orchestra of which Edwin H. Bergh is conductor, will feature American composers at its first concert this month, Tuesday, May 25. At the rehearsal Saturday evening 34 musicians were present.

Mrs. George D. LaBar and S. F. Alderman will be the soloists.

**Mozart Study Club**

The following Mozart program will be given this evening, May 10th, at the home of Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone at 7:30 o'clock:

Paper on the Life of Mozart-----  
Miss Alma Brown  
Sonata No. 8, Second Movement-----  
Miss Evelyn Erickson  
Analysis, Oten Waltz-----  
Miss Lillian Nelson  
Hymns arranged from Mozart-----  
Miss Mildred Farwell  
Sonata No. 15, Allegro-Andante-----  
Rondeau en Polonoise-----  
Miss Ida Peterson  
Sonata No. 14, First Movement-----  
Miss Mildred Skauge  
Fantasia and Sonata No. 18-----  
Miss Gladys Nitterauer  
Musical History Game-----

### The Luther Society

The Luther society of the Swedish Lutheran church meets this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Harry Eckholm, Oak street Southeast.

### Rebekah Club

The Rebekah club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Russell, 1212 South Seventh street.

**The Language.**  
"I have it in for Smith."  
"I heard you were out with him."—  
Baltimore American.

## Fall In Line For Cleanup Day



THEY'RE ON THE JOB—ARE YOU?

## EXPERT TALKS ON CLEANUP WORK

Says German Cities Provide Model For Americans.

### STREET CLEANING SCIENCE.

No Refuse Should Be Placed on Sidewalk—The Sweeping Process Should Be Started When No Traffic is on Street—Early Morning Best Time.

By FRANK KOESTER.

The lack of system and want of technical training on the part of many American officials in charge make street cleaning unnecessarily expensive, leave the streets in a bad condition and cause the cleaning to be carried out in a disagreeable, insanitary way. In foreign cities engineers specialize on this subject. Street cleaning has been reduced to a science, and economy, efficiency and the comfort and convenience of the public are considered.

The purpose of street cleaning is to remove as quickly and as cheaply as possible all foreign matter in the streets and thus to conduce to the health of the public by minimizing the circulation of germ laden dust.

The cleaning of streets should be carried out in a systematic and thorough manner. The cleaners should proceed in crews with the necessary apparatus both to clean the streets and the sidewalks as well, if necessary, and the layout of the work should be such that no member of the crew needs to wait on the progress of the other, but all proceed simultaneously, and when they have passed through the street the work will be done. The method of piecemeal street cleaning, with the householder sweeping dirt into the street, the street cleaner sweeping it into piles and the piles being removed by wagons, with the occasional passing first on one side of the street and then on the other of some piece of street cleaning apparatus, results in a continual stirring up of dust to the great discomfort and inconvenience of all concerned, while the street never really gets cleaned.

The number of men in the cleaning crew depends on the kind of machinery used. As no machine is capable of reaching all parts of the street, a certain amount of manual sweeping is necessary, especially when the sidewalks are cleaned in conjunction with the machine sweeping, so that, as indicated, the whole width of the street will be cleaned at once.

### Must Be Clear of Traffic.

In order that such cleaning may proceed with efficiency and dispatch, and consequently with economy, the streets must be practically clear of traffic, as the presence of vehicles, especially those standing at the curb, greatly delays the work of the crew.

As the operation of such a crew also handicaps traffic and as the public prefers to see the streets clean, rather than to see them being cleaned, it is essential to select a suitable hour for cleaning. German cities have conducted numerous tests for finding out the most favorable hour. The city of Dresden adopted the practice of cleaning the main streets in the early morning hours, beginning about 4 o'clock and

finishing the business sections by 6 o'clock, some 20 to 30 per cent of the entire street area. The cleaning of the remainder of the streets proceeds immediately after the main streets are finished, and the whole city is cleaned by 9 a. m.

### The Early Morning Plan.

The advantages of the system are that the cleaning can be carried out by daylight and is consequently better performed than when carried out under artificial light, that the workmen are more efficient as day workers than as night workers, and that during the early morning hours the traffic is at the minimum.

No refuse may be placed on the sidewalk, but must be kept on the householder's premises in such places as will not cause annoyance to the neighbors. As the street cleaning crews may be expected at a fixed time daily the householders are able to make their arrangements accordingly, and thus the whole proceeding is carried out in the most expeditious and convenient manner.

### Most Urgent Duty.

Perhaps the most urgent of the duties of the street cleaners is the removal from the streets of the carcasses of dead animals, not only on account of the unsightliness of such objects, but also because, especially in summer, they are a menace to health. Singularly enough, in many American cities, including those constantly exploiting their civic improvement plans, there is a lack of co-operation between the police, to whose notice such matters naturally first fall, and the street cleaning departments, so that the carcasses remain often for days before being removed.

It would certainly seem a necessary preliminary to street planning to have the streets free of such impediments.

Street cleaning machinery consists principally of three classes—sprinkling, sweeping and removing apparatus.

### CLEANUP POSTCARDS.

An Effective Novelty First Used in a St. Paul Crusade.

Cleanup postcards are a novelty introduced in St. Paul. No less than 40,000 were mailed to persons a year ago, and this year probably double that number will be utilized. The cards, with appropriate illustrations and text or with text alone, prove very effective in getting volunteer cleaners into action.

The cost of printing them is very low. They can be either mailed or distributed by individual workers.

### SPOILING THE WILDOOD.

The wind blows free, and the hovering mist  
Gives way to the sun's bright glow.  
The sighing oak by the zephyr kissed  
Has a song that is sweet and low.  
Far in the valley the stream extends  
Like a ribbon of silver bright,  
And the birds that build where the willow bends  
Are happy from morn till night.  
Along come people who bring their lunch,  
And they scarcely regard the scene.  
The chipmunk sits and observes them munch  
A pickle or a sardine.  
Oh, Nature, with all her splendid plans,  
Anger must surely feel  
As we strew the landscape with old tin cans  
And paper and orange peel!

DON'T DO IT ANY MORE!

### DO IT NOW.

Decision never becomes easier by postponement, while habit grows stronger every day. Common sense as well as conscience says, "Choose this day."

## THE JAPANESE POINT OF VIEW


By Count Ok Uma, Japanese Premier and Minister of the Interior. Copyrighted 1915, by United Press. Copyrighted in Great Britain.

(Note—In response to a cabled request for a statement that would give the American public a clear understanding of the Japanese point of view in the Japanese-Chinese contest, the premier, Count Ok Uma cabled to the United Press the following exclusive statement, the first expression to America of the Japanese policy.)

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## WOMAN'S REALM

### SIXTH DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING

Minnesota Federation of Womens Clubs will Hold Annual Meeting at Little Falls

ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

District is One of the Largest in the State, Musical Art Club is the Hostess

The Sixth district of the Minnesota Federation of Women's club will hold its annual meeting at Little Falls, Wednesday and Thursday, Mrs. L. D. Brown of Little Falls is president of the district. The Musical Art club will be hostess. There are 500 women in the clubs.

The district is one of the largest in the state. It includes 20 clubs, representing Aitkin, Akeley, Bemidji, Bertha, Brainerd, Crosby, Cass Lake, Deerwood, Little Falls, Long Prairie, Park Rapids, Paynesville, Pine River, St. Cloud, Sauk Center, Sauk Rapids, Staples, Wadena.

The program for the meeting will be as follows:

#### Wednesday

High school gymnasium—  
3 p. m.—Invocation, Mrs. Dura Corbin, Little Falls.  
Address of Welcome—Mrs. R. D. Musser, Little Falls, Minn.  
Response—Mrs. L. A. Mathews, Wadena, Minn.  
Informal tea.  
Auto ride.

#### Wednesday Evening

High school auditorium—  
8 p. m.—Piano solo—Selected Mrs. Lyn Whitsan, Sauk Center  
Paper—"The Call of the Twentieth Century," Mrs. R. L. Cochrane, Little Falls.  
Vocal duet—Selected Miss Laura Brannen, Mrs. Chas. Jensen, Little Falls  
Address—"Greater Efficiency," Mrs. C. L. Atwood, St. Cloud.  
Group of Songs—Selected Miss Maud Giffault Smalley  
Informal reception in the gymnasium.

#### Thursday Morning

High school gymnasium—  
9 A. M.—Executive board meeting.  
9:30 A. M.—Council meeting.  
10:00 A. M.—Report of officers.  
10:30 A. M.—Report of clubs.  
11:30 A. M.—"The Library in Community Life," Miss Sadie Fuller, Little Falls.

#### Thursday Afternoon

High school gymnasium—  
2:30 P. M.—Opening song, "America," accompanist Miss Noella Duolos.  
Song—"Lullaby"  
Blanche Norman Nelson  
Carol Schallern  
Accompanist, Miss Helen Humphrey  
Address—"Federation and Endowment Fund," Mrs. E. J. Lewis, Sauk Center.  
Group of Songs—Selected Miss Laura Brannen, Little Falls  
Election of officers.

#### Thursday Evening

High School Auditorium—  
8:00 P. M.—Group of Songs—  
(a) "The Little Grey Blue Dove"  
(b) "Roses After Rain"  
(c) "Jean"—Charles G. Sprass  
(d) "A Song of Joy"—Woodman  
Miss Elaine Ruth, Little Falls  
Accompanist, Miss Elvira Ruth  
Paper—"The Social, Moral and Spiritual Uplift of the Woman's Club," Mrs. A. J. Tschumperlin, St. Cloud.  
Piano solo—"Hark, Hark, the Lark," Schubert-Liszt  
Miss Mildred Skauge, Brainerd  
Group of Songs—Selected Mrs. Charles Jensen, Little Falls  
Address—"Woman's Suffrage," Mrs. Wilbur Cobb, Brainerd.  
Vocal duet—Selected Laura Brannen, Mrs. Chas. Jensen  
Officers of the Sixth district—  
President—Mrs. L. D. Brown, Little Falls.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. L. A. Mathews, Wadena.  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Alvah Eastman, St. Cloud.  
Treasurer—Mrs. C. M. Patek, Brainerd.

#### Dancing Party

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will give a dancing party Wednesday evening, May 12, at 8:30 o'clock at their hall.

#### Gustavus Adolphus Society

The Gustavus Adolphus society of the Swedish Lutheran church meets Thursday evening at the home of Miss Alice Anderson, Pine street Southeast.

### URGED TO ATTEND

Mrs. B. J. Broady Receives Letter From Mrs. L. D. Brown Regarding Ladies Convention

Mrs. B. J. Broady has received a letter from Mrs. L. D. Brown urging the members of the Brainerd Musical club to be present in large numbers. Room and breakfast will be provided for all visitors, and those planning to go are asked to notify Mrs. W. C. Cobb, or Mrs. A. H. Vernon of Little Falls. Probably there will be many who find it convenient to go for just one day. Mrs. W. C. Cobb, Mrs. Henry I. Cohen and Mrs. Bruce J. Broady will act as delegates from the Brainerd club.

Miss Mildred Skauge will give a piano number, "Hark, Hark, the Lark," by Schubert-Liszt, and Mrs. Cobb a paper on "Woman's Suffrage" on Thursday evening, as the Brainerd contributions to a very interesting program.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

Of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran Church will Meet Monday Night, 8 O'clock

The Young Peoples society of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Anna Saltee will entertain. The following program will be rendered:

Vocal solo—Will Anderson  
Recitation—Mrs. Ed. Clark  
Recitation—Miss Mary Haghey  
Vocal solo—Miss Anna Erickson  
Piano duet—Misses Lind and Opsahl  
Vocal solo—Miss Anna Michaelson  
Recitation—Mrs. A. P. Sorenson  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Kendall, of Little Falls, was a Brainerd visitor Sunday.

Miss Ida Highfield, of Deerwood, went to St. Peter Saturday afternoon.

Miss Selma C. Johnson, of St. Cloud, visited friends in the city Saturday.

Miss Clola Porter and Miss Elizabeth Koeing went to Crow Wing Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgerton and maid, of Chicago, arrived in the city Saturday and will spend the summer at Twin Oaks farm.

Miss Mary Bishop returned to Valley City, N. D., this noon to resume her studies in the normal school there.

### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The Camel Orchestra Will Feature American Composers at its First Concert in May 25

The Camel symphony orchestra of which Edwin H. Bergh is conductor, will feature American composers at its first concert this month, Tuesday, May 25. At the rehearsal Saturday evening 34 musicians were present.

Mrs. George D. LaBar and S. F. Alderman will be the soloists.

#### Mozart Study Club

The following Mozart program will be given this evening, May 10th, at the home of Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone at 7:30 o'clock:

Paper on the Life of Mozart—Miss Alma Brown  
Sonata No. 8, Second Movement—Miss Evelyn Erickson  
Analysis, Overture—Miss Lillian Nelson  
Hymns arranged from Mozart—Miss Mildred Farwell  
Sonata No. 15, Allegro-Andante—Rondeau en Polonoise—Miss Ida Peterson  
Sonata No. 14, First Movement—Miss Mildred Skauge  
Fantasia and Sonata No. 18—Miss Gladys Nitterauer  
Musical History Game.

#### The Luther Society

The Luther society of the Swedish Lutheran church meets this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Harry Eckholm, Oak street Southeast.

#### Rebekah Club

The Rebekah club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Russell, 1212 South Seventh street.

#### The Language.

"I have it in for Smith."  
"I heard you were out with him."—Baltimore American.

## Fall In Line For Cleanup Day



THEY'RE ON THE JOB—ARE YOU?

## EXPERT TALKS ON CLEANUP WORK

Says German Cities Provide Model For Americans.

### STREET CLEANING SCIENCE.

No Refuse Should Be Placed on Sidewalk—The Sweeping Process Should Be Started When No Traffic Is on Street—Early Morning Best Time.

By FRANK KOESTER.

The lack of system and want of technical training on the part of many American officials in charge make street cleaning unnecessarily expensive, leave the streets in a bad condition and cause the cleaning to be carried out in a disagreeable, insanitary way.

In foreign cities engineers specialize on this subject. Street cleaning has been reduced to a science, and economy, efficiency and the comfort and convenience of the public are considered.

The purpose of street cleaning is to remove as quickly and as cheaply as possible all foreign matter in the streets and thus to conduce to the health of the public by minimizing the circulation of germ laden dust.

The cleaning of streets should be carried out in a systematic and thorough manner. The cleaners should proceed in crews with the necessary apparatus both to clean the streets and the sidewalks as well, if necessary, and the layout of the work should be such that no member of the crew needs to wait on the progress of the other, but all proceed simultaneously, and when they have passed through the street the work will be done. The method of piecemeal street cleaning, with the householder sweeping dirt into the street, the street cleaner sweeping it into piles and the piles being removed by wagons, with the occasional passing first on one side of the street and then on the other of some piece of street cleaning apparatus, results in a continual stirring up of dust to the great discomfort and inconvenience of all concerned, while the street never really gets cleaned.

The number of men in the cleaning crew depends on the kind of machinery used. As no machine is capable of reaching all parts of the street, a certain amount of manual sweeping is necessary, especially when the sidewalks are cleaned in conjunction with the machine sweeping, so that, as indicated, the whole width of the street will be cleaned at once.

#### Must Be Clear of Traffic.

In order that such cleaning may proceed with efficiency and dispatch, and consequently with economy, the streets must be practically clear of traffic, as the presence of vehicles, especially those standing at the curb, greatly delays the work of the crew.

As the operation of such a crew also handicaps traffic and as the public prefers to see the streets clean, rather than to see them being cleaned, it is essential to select a suitable hour for cleaning. German cities have conducted numerous tests for finding out the most favorable hour. The city of Dresden adopted the practice of cleaning the main streets in the early morning hours, beginning about 4 o'clock and

finishing the business sections by 6 o'clock, some 20 to 30 per cent of the entire street area. The cleaning of the remainder of the streets proceeds immediately after the main streets are finished, and the whole city is cleaned by 9 a. m.

#### The Early Morning Plan.

The advantages of the system are that the cleaning can be carried out by daylight and is consequently better performed than when carried out under artificial light, that the workmen are more efficient as day workers than as night workers, and that during the early morning hours the traffic is at the minimum.

No refuse may be placed on the sidewalk, but must be kept on the householder's premises in such places as will not cause annoyance to the neighbors. As the street cleaning crews may be expected at a fixed time daily the householders are able to make their arrangements accordingly, and thus the whole proceeding is carried out in the most expeditious and convenient manner.

#### Most Urgent Duty.

Perhaps the most urgent of the duties of the street cleaners is the removal from the streets of the carcasses of dead animals, not only on account of the unsightliness of such objects, but also because, especially in summer, they are a menace to health. Singularly enough, in many American cities, including those constantly exploiting their civic improvement plans, there is a lack of co-operation between the police, to whose notice such matters naturally first fall, and the street cleaning departments, so that the carcasses remain often for days before being removed.

It would certainly seem a necessary preliminary to street planning to have the streets free of such impediments. Street cleaning machinery consists principally of three classes—sprinkling, sweeping and removing apparatus.

### CLEANUP POSTCARDS.

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Cleanup postcards are a novelty introduced in St. Paul. No less than 40,000 were mailed to persons a year ago, and this year probably double that number will be utilized. The cards, with appropriate illustrations and text or with text alone, prove very effective in getting volunteer cleaners into action.

The cost of printing them is very low. They can be either mailed or distributed by individual workers.

#### SPOILING THE WILLOW.

The wind blows free, and the hovering mist  
Gives way to the sun's bright glow.  
The sighing oak by the zephyr kissed  
Has a song that is sweet and low.  
Afair in the valley the stream extends  
Like a ribbon of silver bright,  
And the birds that build where the willow bends  
Are happy from morn till night.  
Along come people who bring their lunch,  
And they scarcely regard the scene.  
The chipmunk sits and observes them munch  
A pickle or a sardine.  
Oh, Nature, with all her splendid plans,  
Anger must surely feel  
As we strew the landscape with old tin cans  
And paper and orange peel!

#### DO IT NOW.

Decision never becomes easier by postponement, while habit grows stronger every day. Common sense as well as conscience says, "Choose this day."

## THE JAPANESE POINT OF VIEW


By Count Ok Uma, Japanese Premier and Minister of the Interior. Copyrighted 1915, by United Press. Copyrighted in Great Britain

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## THE LUSITANIA CATASTROPHY

The most appalling event since the start of the European war is the sinking of the Lusitania and the sacrificing of hundreds of human lives, men, women and children, people in no way connected with the conflict now raging in the European countries.

Germany does not seem to have fear of the consequence of putting to the bottom of the sea more than a thousand civilian non-combatants without warning, including more than a hundred Americans, with no time to man or lower life boats before the death dealing torpedoes were discharged from the submarines straight for the giant liner loaded with human freight. That it was deliberate murder, premeditated, is the only conclusion.

The rules of civilized warfare provide that no vessel not accredited to the navy can be sunk until all passengers and crew are removed and assured of safety. In this case the ship itself and the cargo, which included contraband if reports are true and which has not been denied, was legitimate German spoil.

There is no excuse that can be made, and probably none will be offered other than the German embassy at Washington published an advertisement warning people of the danger of taking passage on the Lusitania.

The loss of this giant liner comes as a climax following the sinking of the Frye, the Falaba and the Gulf-Flight.

What the action of the government at Washington will be no one can tell, but regardless of the situation, there should be no hasty decision, but American life should be made safe on the high seas from attacks of this kind. The sentiment of this country condemns Germany for this inhuman and unwarranted act and there is no hesitancy in expressing it.

## HE BOASTED BUT TO FALL

A member of the California legislature made the boast in the halls of the body in which he was serving his constituents that he had never been kissed except by his mother. Before the day was over a fair lobbyist remedied the matter, and he will never be able to truthfully state again that he has never been kissed.

"But speaking of legislators, now that the Minnesota body has adjourned, the following "Appeal to Hubby," clipped from the Eureka, Kansas, Herald, contains some truth, as well as poetry, and will be appreciated by any member of the legislature who happens to read it:

Husband, dear husband, come to me now,  
I'm sniffing the odor of spring;  
You've stayed long enough in the capital  
there.

You're much safer under my wing,  
The old horse is pawing the stable like mad.

The colts in a terrible stew,  
The small brindle heifer got a white calf  
And the cattle are bawling for you.  
The voice of your Betsy is calling you,  
dear.

It's nearly time to make soap;  
And some of the women are saying, my love.

I'm giving you most too much rope,  
They say there is desperate flirting up there.

With widows and maids not a few,  
I haven't been kissed since the morning  
you left.

But, dearie, how is it with you?

Billy Sunday hesitates about tackling Minneapolis. Seems like a tough proposition to him, probably.

Granville Pease, who has spent a winter in California and knows, says that state isn't all sunshine and pleasure. When it's cold there, and the chilly season freezes you to the marrow, you are cold clear through, and need a fire to get warm by when there is an absence of the homelike glow of the coal grate.

The editress of the Little Falls Transcript thinks if there could be anything worse than a world peopled only by men it would be one inhabited by the other sex alone, and backs up her statement by saying: "An occasional visit to Minnesota's metropolis and putting up at a place where only women are accommodated gives the nudge that a whole world of 'em would not be Utopia. Perish the thought!"

When you buy goods from a stranger you are just taking a chance that you will not get stung, and one chance in a hundred at that. Your home merchants who expect to reside in the community will treat you square. The traveling peddler is not out for

## MAP OF WHERE LUSITANIA WAS SUNK



The Lusitania was on her regular course into Liverpool when she was sunk off Old Head, Kinsale, Ireland. Navigators in the United States are unable to understand why the vessel

## DARK DAYS EXPERIENCED BY THE ALLIES

J. W. T. Mason, writing for the United Press, says the allies are experiencing the darkest days since the German's made the rush toward Paris. Those who are following the Mason letters will find this one exceedingly interesting.

New York, N. Y., May 10—Not since the German rush toward Paris last summer have the allies been through such dark days as those of the present week. At Ypres, in Galicia, and in the Baltic provinces, the Germans have maintained a successful offensive; while on the sea the Germans have torpedoed the Lusitania, within what is supposed to be the naval defense area of cape towns.

The battle of Ypres resulted in the German advance of several thousand yards toward the Belgian city which forms the northern center of the British battle lines. The fall of Ypres is considerably possible. Its fall into the hands of the Germans, however, will have serious effects upon the British military forces, which will be forced to retire a short distance. The Austrians and the Germans have conducted offensives along battle lines more than five hundred yards distant. While continuing these during the week, in order to attract the attention of the Russian generals by rushing northward in the Baltic provinces, the Germans suddenly launched a new movement against the Slavs along the Donajec river east of Cracow. The attack was delivered along a 40 mile front.

It could have succeeded against weaker numbers and it is probable large portions of the Russian defenses had previously been withdrawn for the operations in the Carpathians.

The Germans were almost instantly successful with their first rush and drove the Russians back 25 miles. Subsequent information, however, is vague. It is by no means certain the Russians have had to abandon the Dulia pass through fear of being outflanked. Berlin telegrams make this impression, but confirmation is lacking. In the Baltic provinces the Germans swung their offensive to the westward during the week and occupied the Baltic port of Libau, 35 miles north and east of Prussian territory.

In this operation a squadron of warships acted in conjunction with a land force which probably was not large.

his health, neither do the department stores of the great cities help pay the taxes or beautify the community. They decorate their own bank account at your expense.

Don't overlook the proclamation of Mayor Beise designating the present week, May 10 to 15 inclusive, as clean-up week. Don't just remember it but get busy with your back yard, the alley in the rear and your lawn and boulevard. If your neighbor's premises are a nuisance to the general public and they refuse or neglect to clean them up tell the sanitary police about the matter, but let's have a clean, model city at all events."

"Thru the Mill" is the title of a book written by an ex-convict, profusely illustrated and tells the truth about the "inside." The author is G. L. Bartlett, who made a fatal step and landed in prison. The book is different from most volumes written by former inmates as he has no veiled statements and talks plainly. His chief complaint is the indeterminate sentence, which he thinks has a very depressing effect upon the prisoners. The book is interesting and while he criticizes several things, there isn't the usual sting that is given by those who have passed through the mill. The book as well as a valuable reference, is a story full of pathos and straight from the shoulder facts, with those few bright spots that such a narrative can afford. Altogether the book throws an interesting searchlight into a corner of society about which the every day world thinks little and knows less, and it is probable that interest in certain much-dis-

cussed reforms may be stimulated through its agency. "Thru the Mill," with two color, specially drawn cover, sells for 50 cents.

## GERMANS AGAIN BOMBARD DUNKIRK

(By United Press)

Paris, May 10—Dunkirk has again been bombarded by heavy German guns, but the damage is unknown. Three attacks on Lombartzyde have been repulsed.

## Expresses Regret For the Murder

(By United Press)

Washington, May 10—German Ambassador Bremstoft called at the U. S. state department and expressed deep regret for the Americans killed on the Lusitania. Following his leaving Mr. Bryan said the Ambassador expressed his deep regret that the events of war led to the loss of so many lives. No messages have been received direct from Berlin.

## Criticize Preparations

(By United Press)

London, May 10—The consensus of opinion among the Lusitania survivors is that only five of thirty life boats were successfully launched. The inadequacy of their emergency preparations were criticised. It is expected that this point will be fully developed at the admiralty inquiry.

## GREECE DECIDES WAR QUESTION

By HENRY WOOD

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Athens, May 10—Greece is today deciding at the polls by popular suffrage whether or not she will participate in the present war.

While on the surface the elections are merely for the purpose of choosing a new parliament, there is no one in all Greece today who does not understand fully that the result will determine whether or not Greece shall finally issue from her neutrality on the side of the Triple Entente.

On all sides today's elections are admitted to mark what is without question the most important moment in the history of modern Greece. Aside from the gravity of the mere question of war, there also stands sharply out in the fight the figures of the two greatest personalities that modern Greece has produced—that of King Constantine and that of former Premier Venizelos.

The two men who worked side by side during the last two Balkan wars in doubling the territory of Greece—the men "who put Greece back on the map" as it is popularly phrased in all Greece—are today submitting to the suffrage of the Greeks their now divergent ideas as to the future policy of the country.

Venizelos, who until a few years ago an unknown deputy from the island of Crete but now admittedly the greatest statesman modern Greece has produced, is standing out openly on the policy that Greece should cast her fortune with the Triple Entente. By entering the present war and participating in both the naval and military campaign against Constantinople, Greece is assured of again redoubling her territory and thus becoming not only the leading power in the Balkans but one of the important powers of Europe. Venizelos declares it is an opportunity that if missed will never come again.

Against this action, at least at the present moment, King Constantine is firmly opposed. The elections today are a result of the break between the king and Premier Venizelos which occurred two months ago and resulted in the latter's fall from power. The Triple Entente had at that time invited Greece to intervene in the Constantinople campaign, pledging extensive territorial recompenses.

A council of the crown was at once called and in this the views of King Constantine prevailed to the contrary. While not insisting that Greece must remain neutral throughout the entire war, it was his belief that the entrance of Greece at that time would be fatal to her own interests.

Premier Venizelos resigned from power and a new cabinet that was in harmony with the King's views was formed. Venizelos at once announced, however, that he would take the question before the Greek people at the spring elections and that he and his party would stand for re-election on his policy which King Constantine has rejected.

While practically everyone in Greece today is certain of the return to power of Venizelos as a result of today's elections, no secret is made of the fact that his temporary overthrow has at least gained to a certain extent the King's point. Greece's participation has now been delayed for nearly three months at the very least and even if with the return to power of Venizelos, Greece should intervene at once, all the loss and expense of the campaign of the past three months that would have taken place, has at least been saved.

## Germany is Not Seeking Trouble

(By United Press)

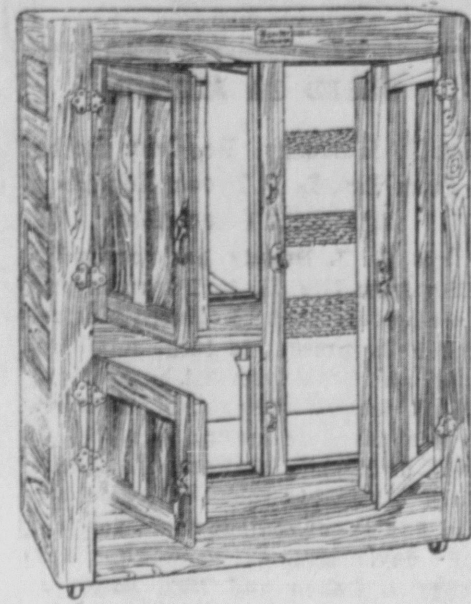
Washington, May 10—One point is settled that Germany is not seeking to provoke trouble with us. Fears have been expressed that the Kaiser might assume a haughty or indifferent attitude. Ambassador Von Bernstorff's call has cancelled those apprehensions. Officials are agreed that the difficulties have not been removed, but opens the way for calm consideration.

## Wishes Roosevelt Were President

(By United Press)

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THE LUSITANIA CATASTROPHY

The most appalling event since the start of the European war is the sinking of the Lusitania and the sacrificing of hundreds of human lives, men, women and children, people in no way connected with the conflict now raging in the European countries.

Germany does not seem to have fear of the consequence of putting to the bottom of the sea more than a thousand civilian non-combatants without warning, including more than a hundred Americans, with no time to man or lower life boats before the death dealing torpedoes were discharged from the submarines straight for the giant liner loaded with human freight. That it was deliberate murder, premeditated, is the only conclusion.

The rules of civilized warfare provide that no vessel not accredited to the navy can be sunk until all passengers and crew are removed and assured of safety. In this case the ship itself and the cargo, which included contraband if reports are true and which has not been denied, was legitimate German spoil.

There is no excuse that can be made, and probably none will be offered other than the Germany embassy at Washington published an advertisement warning people of the danger of taking passage on the Lusitania.

The loss of this giant liner comes as a climax following the sinking of the Frye, the Falaba and the Gulfight.

What the action of the government at Washington will be no one can tell, but regardless of the situation, there should be no hasty decision, but American life should be made safe on the high seas from attacks of this kind. The sentiment of this country condemns Germany for this inhuman and unwarranted act and there is no hesitancy in expressing it.

#### HE BOASTED BUT TO FALL

A member of the California legislature made the boast in the halls of the body in which he was serving his constituents that he had never been kissed except by his mother. Before the day was over a fair lobbyist remedied the matter, and he will never be able to truthfully state again that he has never been kissed.

But speaking of legislators, now that the Minnesota body has adjourned, the following "Appeal to Hubby," clipped from the Eureka, Kansas, Herald, contains some truth, as well as poetry, and will be appreciated by any member of the legislature who happens to read it:

Husband, dear husband, come to me now, I'm sniffing the odor of spring; You've stayed long enough in the capital there.

You're much safer under my wing. The old horse is pawing the stable like mad.

The cow is in a terrible stew. The small brindle heifer got a white calf. And the cattle are bawling for you. The voice of your Betsy is calling you, dear.

It's nearly time to make soap; And some of the women are saying, my love.

I'm giving you most too much rope. They say there is desperate flirting up there.

With widows and maids not a few. I haven't been kissed since the morning you left.

But, dearie, how is it with you?

Billy Sunday hesitates about tackling Minneapolis. Seems like a tough proposition to him, probably.

Granville Pease, who has spent a winter in California and knows, says that state isn't all sunshine and pleasure. When it's cold there, and the chilly season freezes you to the marrow, you are cold clear through, and need a fire to get warm by when there is an absence of the homelike glow of the coal grate.

The editors of the Little Falls Transcript thinks if there could be anything worse than a world peopled only by men it would be one inhabited by the other sex alone, and backs up her statement by saying: "An occasional visit to Minnesota's metropolis and putting up at a place where only women are accommodated gives the nudge that a whole world of 'em would not be Utopia. Perish the thought!"

When you buy goods from a stranger or you are just taking a chance that you will not get stung, and one chance in a hundred at that. Your home merchants who expect to reside in the community will treat you square. The traveling peddler is not out for

MAP OF WHERE LUSITANIA WAS SUNK

The Lusitania was on her regular course into Liverpool when she was sunk off Old Head, Kinsdale, Ireland. Navigators in the United States are unable to understand why the vessel took that course after warnings that she would be sunk by German submarines had been received. They believe she should have entered Liverpool by going around the north of Ireland.

#### DARK DAYS EXPERIENCED BY THE ALLIES

J. W. T. Mason, writing for the United Press, says the allies are experiencing the darkest days since the German's made the rush toward Paris. Those who are following the Mason letters will find this one exceedingly interesting.

New York, N. Y., May 10—Not since the German rush toward Paris last summer have the allies been through such dark days as those of the present week. At Ypres, in Galicia, and in the Baltic provinces, the Germans have maintained a successful offensive; while on the sea the Germans have torpedoed the Lusitania, within what is supposed to be the naval defense area of cape towns.

The battle of Ypres resulted in the German advance of several thousand yards toward the Belgian city which forms the northern center of the British battle lines. The fall of Ypres is considerably possible. Its fall into the hands of the Germans, however, will have serious effects upon the British military forces, which will be forced to retire a short distance. The Austrians and the Germans have conducted offensives along battle lines more than five hundred yards distant. While continuing these during the week, in order to attract the attention of the Russian generals by rushing northward in the Baltic provinces, the Germans suddenly launched a new movement against the Slavs along the Donajec river east of Cracow. The attack was delivered along a 40 mile front.

It could have succeeded against weaker numbers and it is probable large portions of the Russian defenses had previously been withdrawn for the operations in the Carpathians.

The Germans were almost instantly successful with their first rush and drove the Russians back 25 miles. Subsequent information, however, is vague. It is by no means certain the Russians have had to abandon the Dukla pass through fear of being outflanked. Berlin telegrams make this impression, but confirmation is lacking. In the Baltic provinces the Germans swung their offensive to the westward during the week and occupied the Baltic port of Libau, 35 miles north and east of Prussian territory.

In this operation a squadron of warships acted in conjunction with a land force which probably was not large.

his health, neither do the department stores of the great cities help pay the taxes or beautify the community. They decorate their own bank account at your expense.

Don't overlook the proclamation of Mayor Boise designating the present week, May 10 to 15 inclusive, as clean-up week. Don't just remember it but get busy with your back yard, the alley in the rear and your lawn and boulevard. If your neighbor's premises are a nuisance to the general public and they refuse or neglect to clean them up tell the sanitary police about the matter, but let's have a clean, model city at all events.

"Thru the Mill" is the title of a book written by an ex-convict, profusely illustrated and tells the truth about the "inside." The author is G. L. Bartlett, who made a fatal step and landed in prison. The book is different from most volumes written by former inmates as he has no veiled statements and talks plainly. His chief complaint is the indeterminate sentence, which he thinks has a very depressing effect upon the prisoners. The book is interesting and while he criticises several things, there isn't the usual sting that is given by those who have passed through the mill. The book as well as a valuable reference, is a story full of pathos and straight from the shoulder facts, with those few bright spots that such a narrative can afford. Altogether the book throws an interesting searchlight into a corner of society about which the every day world thinks little and knows less, and it is probable that interest in certain much-dis-

cussed reforms may be stimulated through its agency. "Thru the Mill," with two color, specially drawn cover, sells for 50 cents.

#### GERMANS AGAIN BOMBARD DUNKIRK

(By United Press)

Paris, May 10—Dunkirk has again been bombarded by heavy German guns, but the damage is unknown. Three attacks on Lombardzyde have been repulsed.

#### Expresses Regret For the Murder

(By United Press)

Washington, May 10—German Ambassador Brestoff called at the U. S. state department and expressed deep regret for the Americans killed on the Lusitania. Following his leaving Mr. Bryan said the Ambassador expressed his deep regret that the events of war led to the loss of so many lives. No messages have been received direct from Berlin.

#### Criticize Preparations

(By United Press)

London, May 10—The consensus of opinion among the Lusitania survivors is that only five of thirty life boats were successfully launched. The inadequacy of their emergency preparations were criticised. It is expected that this point will be fully developed at the admiralty inquiry.

#### GREECE DECIDES WAR QUESTION

By HENRY WOOD  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Athens, May 10—Greece is today deciding at the polls by popular suffrage whether or not she will participate in the present war.

While on the surface the elections are merely for the purpose of choosing a new parliament, there is no one in all Greece today who does not understand fully that the result will determine whether or not Greece shall finally issue from her neutrality on the side of the Triple Entente.

On all sides today's elections are admitted to mark what is without question the most important moment in the history of modern Greece. Aside from the gravity of the mere question of war, there also stands sharply out in the fight the figures of the two greatest personalities that modern Greece has produced—that of King Constantine and that of former Premier Venizelos.

The two men who worked side by side during the last two Balkan wars in doubling the territory of Greece—the men "who put Greece back on the map" as it is popularly phrased in all Greece—are today submitting to the suffrage of the Greeks their now divergent ideas as to the future policy of the country.

Venizelos, who until a few years ago an unknown deputy from the island of Crete but now admittedly the greatest statesman modern Greece has produced, is standing out openly on the policy that Greece should cast her fortune with the Triple Entente. By entering the present war and participating in both the naval and military campaign against Constantinople, Greece is assured of again redoubling her territory and thus becoming not only the leading power in the Balkans but one of the important powers of Europe. Venizelos declares it is an opportunity that if missed will never come again.

Against this action, at least at the present moment, King Constantine is firmly opposed. The elections today are a result of the break between the king and Premier Venizelos which occurred two months ago and resulted in the latter's fall from power. The Triple Entente had at that time invited Greece to intervene in the Constantinople campaign, pledging extensive territorial recompenses.

A council of the crown was at once called and in this the views of King Constantine prevailed to the contrary. While not insisting that Greece must remain neutral throughout the entire war, it was his belief that the entrance of Greece at that time would be fatal to her own interests.

Premier Venizelos resigned from power and a new cabinet that was in harmony with the King's views was formed. Venizelos at once announced, however, that he would take the question before the Greek people at the spring elections and that he and his party would stand for re-election on his policy which King Constantine has rejected.

While practically everyone in Greece today is certain of the return to power of Venizelos as a result of today's elections, no secret is made of the fact that his temporary overthrow has at least gained to a certain extent the King's point. Greece's participation has now been delayed for nearly three months at the very least and even if with the return to power of Venizelos, Greece should intervene at once, all the loss and expense of the campaign of the past three months that would have taken place, has at least been saved.

#### Germany is Not Seeking Trouble

(By United Press)

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## WATER AND LIGHT BOARD ORGANIZES

P. W. Donovan is Elected President of the Board, Wm. Nelson Re-Elected Secretary

### SCHEDULE OF WAGES CHANGED

Water at Spring Bay to be Tested—Additional Furniture is Ordered Purchased

**New Officers of Water and Light Board**  
President—P. W. Donovan.  
Commissioners—C. B. Rowley and A. A. Weideman.  
Secretary—Wm. Nelson.

The water and light board met on Saturday evening and organized by electing officers. P. W. Donovan, the new commissioner, was present. He had previously taken the oath of office.

Commissioner C. B. Rowley was temporary chairman.

The election of a president was the first order of business. Commissioner Weideman nominated Mr. Donovan and it was seconded by Commissioner Rowley, and he was duly declared elected president of the board.

It was decided not to elect a vice-president.

Commissioner Weideman suggested that the election of a secretary be postponed until May 26 for other applications to be received. No action was taken in the motion.

City Treasurer A. M. Opsahl appeared before the board and spoke about having money turned over from the board directly to the treasurer instead of the banks.

On motion of Commissioners Weideman and Rowley the secretary was instructed to turn over moneys as suggested whenever feasible.

Commissioner Rowley, seconded by President Donovan made a motion that the present secretary, Wm. Nelson, be re-appointed. The motion carried.

Commissioner Weideman voted no, saying he did not believe in steam-roller practices.

The safe used at the old office was ordered retained and removed to the present location of the board.

The matter of lettering doors and windows of offices in the city hall and the ordering of curtains was left to the president and the latter is to meet and confer with the city council to secure uniformity.

On motion of Commissioners Rowley and Weideman additional furniture was ordered purchased. This includes two chairs and a table to match furniture in the commissioners' room.

The secretary was instructed to sell lamps from the office.

A telephone was ordered installed in the work room in the basement.

On motion this new schedule of wages was adopted: Henry Roberts, \$85 per month. John S. Anderson, \$3.00 per day. A. A. Stevens and A. P. Nelson, assistant engineers at \$70 per month.

Requisitions for supplies to be purchased were authorized.

A bill from the Northern Pacific railway on account of the lease of right of way through blocks 69 and 71 was read and ordered paid.

The secretary was authorized, to telephone to the state board of health regarding a test of water at Spring Bay. This site may be the source of a new water supply for Brainerd.

### NOTICE

To the lot owners of Evergreen cemetery:

It will be absolutely necessary for you and each of you, who contemplate having your lot in Evergreen cemetery cared for during the season of 1915, to list the same with Milton McFadden, secretary, on or before the twenty-fifth (25th) day of May, that is to say, if you desire to have them in a good condition for Decoration day.

Lots not listed will NOT be cared for by the association.

28813 Committee on Grounds.

### FIRST MAN IN NEW JAIL

Henry Johnson, Charged With Drunkenness, Draws \$5 Fine or Five Days in Jail

Henry Johnson, charged with drunkenness, drew \$5 fine and costs or 5 days in jail when he appeared before Judge Gustave Halvorson. He had no money to pay his fine and thus gained the distinction, if such you may call it, of being the first to occupy the new city jail.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

### EXPLAINS PENSION LAW

Teachers Must Have Been in Minnesota When Law was Passed to Become Eligible Under it

In view of the many inquiries which he has received as to the teachers' pension law enacted by the last legislature, C. C. Schulz, state superintendent of education, issued an explanatory statement yesterday.

Mr. Schulz said no definite reply can be made to inquiries concerning the interpretation or application of the act until the board of trustees, yet to be completed, meets.

"Under the terms of the law, no teacher is eligible who was not teaching in Minnesota at the time it was passed," he said. "Those who have taught for 20 years or more, but have retired from teaching or who were not teaching during the present school year are not eligible to have their past teaching experience count."

"The act makes it necessary for all teachers to become fund members, beginning with the next school year. Those who wish to have their past teaching experience count towards the 20 years required, have until September 7, 1917, to so declare. To become a member a person must have taught at least 20 years, 15 of which must have been in Minnesota, and the last five years immediately preceding retirement in the schools of this state."

### COX CAMPAIGNING

Former Brainerd Editor Makes Votes by a Roll in the Dust, at Oakland, Cal.

The following, concerning a former well known editor and proprietor of the Brainerd Arena, which suspended publication several years ago, is taken from the Oakland, Cal., Examiner:

While William S. Cox, former secretary of the civil service commission of Oakland, was crossing Twelfth street and Broadway yesterday afternoon he was run down by a man on a bicycle. Both went to the street in a cloud of dust. For a time the spectators were unable to decide who had won. Sometimes Cox was on the bottom and other times the bicycle was on top.

Several policemen rushed to his assistance. They arrested the rider and were going to book him for scorching, but Cox told them he would not appear against the man.

"Let him go," he said, and handed his assailant his card. It read: "William S. Cox, candidate for Commissioner No. 2."

The bicyclist looked at it, then held out his hand.

"I'll vote for you," he promised, "and so will my relatives and friends. But I'm blamed glad I wasn't driving a steam roller."

### M. & I. DEFEATED

Woodrow Giants at Woodrow Turn the Trick by 7 to 1 Score

The M. & I. baseball team recently re-organized for the season, met defeat at the hands of the Woodrow Giants at Woodrow Sunday, the score being 7 to 1.

The Giants gave a dance and basket social Saturday evening for the benefit of their team, which was attended by a number of M. & I. players, all of whom report having had an excellent time.

The M. & I. team is open for games with any team of their class and games can be arranged for with Manager I. C. Strout.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our kind friends and neighbors for their help, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during our recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. John Anderson and Family.

### REVOLTING AND HORRIBLE

Swedish Pro-German Paper Laments Loss of Lusitania.

Stockholm, May 10.—The conservative newspaper Hya Dagligt Allehanda, which has always manifested pro-German sympathies, commenting on the Lusitania, says:

"A cry of horror and indignation will rise from the civilized world. If the Germans have sunk the floating palace solely because it was British it is an unpardonable crime against humanity."

"We must presume that the Germans had discovered that there were arms and munitions aboard. But the act remains nevertheless revolting and horrible."

Cruellest Result of War.

Copenhagen, May 10.—Commenting on the torpedoing of the Lusitania the Ekstrabladet says: "The catastrophe must fill the whole civilized world with horror. It is the ugliest, the most cruel result the war has yet reported."

## CLEAN UP WEEK NOW IN PROGRESS

Seven Teams and Twenty Men are Set to Work This Morning by the City Engineer

### C. D. PEACOCK IN COMMAND

Dirt, Microbes, Dust and Filth are Being Assailed in Their Trenches by the City

"Clean Up Week" got a big start this morning when the city to work seven teams and twenty men, the latter armed with shovels and hoes.

This peaceful army of occupation, of the city engineer, C. D. Peacock, assailed the forces of dirt, dust, disease, filth and microbes and everywhere great victories are being recorded by General Peacock.

The first invasion was on Front street near the hose house and this section of the enemy was stormed in its trenches and captured with a rush and carted away. From the hose house the men and teams moved eastward up Front street and everywhere encouraging reports were received.

Then a sally was made down cross streets like South Seventh, South Sixth and other streets. Once in a while a sprinkler passed by and settled the dust.

When asked how long the fight was to be carried on, General Peacock said, "We are going to keep on working until we clean up the whole city." Like General Grant, General Peacock will hammer away until the whole enemy is reduced to smithereens.

Occasionally Mayor R. A. Beise passed in his car and reviewed the progress made. Dr. C. S. Reimstad, new health officer, inspected work and the new sanitary policeman, Mose DeRoche, was scouting around the alleys and other waste places.

And the great civilian population of Brainerd, so distinguished from the city force, has attacked tin cans, boxes, waste paper, manure and ash piles, leaves, debris of all kinds and the same is being carted from private lots.

Rakes, hoes and shovels, wheelbarrows, soap and paint are selling well this week and every hardware man is doing big business in these lines.

### IN DISTRICT COURT

Case of Sarah Rolph vs John Hughes on Trial, Defense Starts Putting in Testimony

In district court the case of Sarah Rolph vs John Hughes and the Title Guaranty & Surety Co. of Scranton, Pa., is on trial, the plaintiff resting at 3 o'clock and after a short recess the defense commenced introducing its testimony.

The complaint filed alleges that John Hughes sold liquor to Edwin Rolph, husband of the plaintiff, and that while drunk on that day, Feb. 21, 1914, he froze his hands necessitating the amputation of all his fingers. She sues for damages because of the loss of her husband's support.

Cyrus A. Scott, pleading guilty to grand larceny in the second degree, was sentenced by Judge B. F. Wright to an indeterminate term in the reformatory at St. Cloud.

### SEES MORE SERIOUS WARS

English Professor Says This Is First of Long Series.

London, May 8.—Dr. William Ridgeway, professor of archaeology at Cambridge university, in an address before the Eugenics society, declared the present war resulted from revolutionary racial struggles.

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Commissioner C. B. Rowley was temporary chairman.

The election of a president was the first order of business. Commissioner Weideman nominated Mr. Donovan and it was seconded by Commissioner Rowley, and he was duly declared elected president of the board.

It was decided not to elect a vice-president.

Commissioner Weideman suggested that the election of a secretary be postponed until May 26 for other applications to be received. No action was taken in the motion.

City Treasurer A. M. Opsahl appeared before the board and spoke about having money turned over from the board directly to the treasurer instead of the banks.

On motion of Commissioners Weideman and Rowley the secretary was instructed to turn over moneys as suggested whenever feasible.

Commissioner Rowley, seconded by President Donovan made a motion that the present secretary, Wm. Nelson, be re-appointed. The motion carried.

Commissioner Weideman voted no, saying he did not believe in steam-roller practices.

The safe used at the old office was ordered retained and removed to the present location of the board.

The matter of lettering doors and windows of offices in the city hall and the ordering of curtains was left to the president and the latter is to meet and confer with the city council to secure uniformity.

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The secretary was instructed to sell lamps from the office.

A telephone was ordered installed in the work room in the basement.

On motion this new schedule of wages was adopted: Henry Roberts, \$85 per month. John S. Anderson, \$3.00 per day. A. A. Stevens and A. P. Nelson, assistant engineers at \$70 per month.

Requisitions for supplies to be purchased were authorized.

A bill from the Northern Pacific railway on account of the lease of right of way through blocks 69 and 71 was read and ordered paid.

The secretary was authorized to telephone to the state board of health regarding a test of water at Spring Bay. This site may be the source of a new water supply for Brainerd.

### NOTICE

To the lot owners of Evergreen cemetery:

It will be absolutely necessary for you and each of you, who contemplate having your lot in Evergreen cemetery cared for during the season of 1915, to list the same with Milton McFadden, secretary, on or before the twenty-fifth (25th) day of May, that is to say, if you desire to have them in a good condition for Decoration day.

Lots not listed will NOT be cared for by the association.

28813 Committee on Grounds.

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Henry Johnson, charged with drunkenness, drew \$5 fine and costs or 5 days in jail when he appeared before Judge Gustave Halvorsen. He had no money to pay his fine and thus gained the distinction, if such you may call it, of being the first to occupy the new city jail.

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### EXPLAINS PENSION LAW

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In view of the many inquiries which he has received as to the teachers' pension law enacted by the last legislature, C. C. Schulz, state superintendent of education, issued an explanatory statement yesterday.

Mr. Schulz said no definite reply can be made to inquiries concerning the interpretation or application of the act until the board of trustees, yet to be completed, meets.

"Under the terms of the law, no teacher is eligible who was not teaching in Minnesota at the time it was passed," he said. "Those who have taught for 20 years or more, but have retired from teaching or who were not teaching during the present school year are not eligible to have their past teaching experience count."

"The act makes it necessary for all teachers to become fund members, beginning with the next school year. Those who wish to have their past teaching experience count towards the 20 years acquired, have until September 7, 1917, to so declare. To become a member a person must have taught at least 20 years, 15 of which must have been in Minnesota, and the last five years immediately preceding retirement in the schools of this state."

### COX CAMPAIGNING

Former Brainerd Editor Makes Votes by a Roll in the Dust, at Oakland, Cal.

The following, concerning a former well known editor and proprietor of the Brainerd Arena, which suspended publication several years ago, is taken from the Oakland, Cal., Examiner:

While William S. Cox, former secretary of the civil service commission of Oakland, was crossing Twelfth street and Broadway yesterday afternoon he was run down by a man on a bicycle. Both went to the street in a cloud of dust. For a time the spectators were unable to decide who had won. Sometimes Cox was on the bottom and other times the bicycle was on top.

Several policemen rushed to his assistance. They arrested the rider and were going to book him for scorching, but Cox told them he would not appear against the man.

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By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

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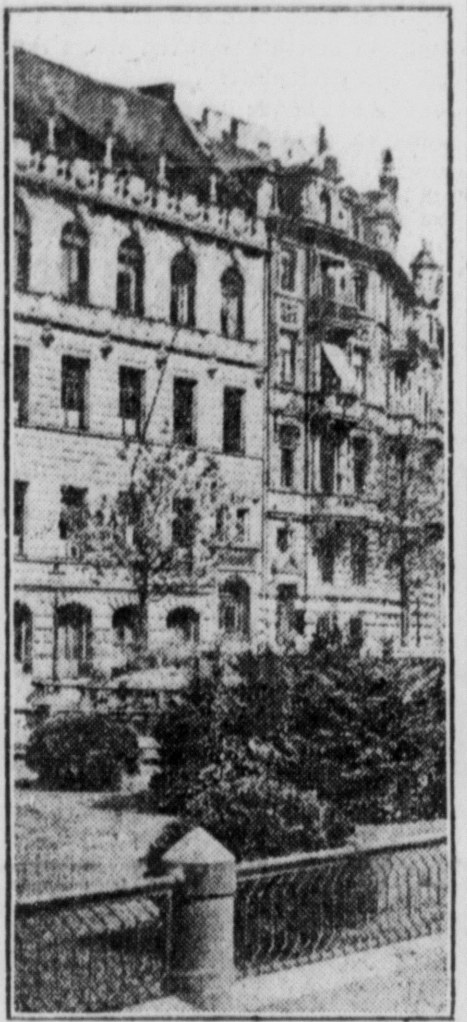
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There is the possibility that in building the Alaska railroad some big mining strikes may be made, but, if so, they will be the first of the kind. Of all the railroads built through mining regions on the American continent where deep cuts in the mountains and tunnels have been made there is no record of a mining strike. Sometimes men marvel that rich ores have not been uncovered by the railroad builders, but it has so happened that the routes of the railroads have not been over great mines. Sometimes mines have been discovered near railroad lines, but the builders have never been able to uncover rich metal deposits. Alaska may break the record.

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Of course Germans and descendants of Germans are making a great outcry against the exportation of arms to the allies, but everybody knows that if they could the Germans also would be buying munitions of war in this country. Nations engaged in war do everything to help themselves and everything possible to injure their opponents. But there is a distinct and vigorous movement among many people without sympathies for the Germans who deplore the part which is being played by this country. Said Senator Clapp of Minnesota, "It is a shameful state of reaction when a great moral nation like the United States sits idly by and allows the exportation of weapons of warfare which are used for the destruction of human beings."

Getting Into Politics.

The exportation of arms is getting into politics. The subject is discussed not only in the public prints, but at political meetings. It has especially served as a topic at woman suffrage meetings, the idea being impressed upon audiences that women would do much to stop war if they had the political power. Woman suffrage speakers assert that if the women had more votes in this country now they would put an end to the exportation of arms. In this way such exportations are becoming involved in politics and may figure in the conventions next year.

The Unsolved Problem.

The last ambassador to Mexico, Henry Lane Wilson, says that peace will

not come to Mexico until the United States gets behind some strong, respectable man, who represents the white people of that country, or until it intervenes with force of arms. There is nothing new in the assertion, but it has more weight coming from a man who knows the ins and outs of the entire revolutionary movement from the time Diaz was overthrown.

Of course the present idea is to let the Mexicans settle all their own difficulties, and if all foreigners would withdraw from the country no one would care much about the final result.

William Alden Willing.

No one knows better than William Alden Smith that Michigan is not on the "presidential highway." There have been many distinguished Wolverine statesmen, and quite a number of them have had presidential ambitions, but none has been successful. At the same time if Michigan wants to go to the national convention with a favorite son William Alden is willing to be the man. In all probability he will have the delegation, and he will not think for a moment that he stands the least chance of being nominated.

Alaska Possibilities.

There is the possibility that in building the Alaska railroad some big mining strikes may be made, but, if so, they will be the first of the kind. Of all the railroads built through mining regions on the American continent where deep cuts in the mountains and tunnels have been made there is no record of a mining strike. Sometimes men marvel that rich ores have not been uncovered by the railroad builders, but the builders have never been able to uncover rich metal deposits. Alaska may break the record.

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